

SPIRITUALITY (SPR)

SPR 1500 - Ecospirituality: Sacred Earth, Common Home

3 Credits

This course is an introduction to the study of ecospirituality within the Roman Catholic tradition. With primary emphasis on Pope Francis' landmark encyclical *Laudato Si'*, the learning community will be introduced to some of the basic paradigms of ecospirituality: the sacredness of the earth; the scope of the environmental crisis today; the responsibility of humankind for the environmental crisis; the relationship between care for the earth and care for the poor; integral ecology; anthropocentrism and the rights of all created things.

Attributes: Prof. Studies Students Only